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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re application of:

Shawn DeFrees et al.

Application No.: 09/442,111

Filed: November 17, 1999

For: LOW COST MANUFACTURE OF  
OLIGOSACCHARIDES

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Sir:

In response to the Final Office Action mailed December 1, 2004 on the above-referenced application, please enter the following amendments and remarks. A Notice of Appeal and a petition for extension of time for one month, from March 1, 2005 to April 1, 2005 are included herein.

**The Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 6 of this paper.